

Competency Goal I To establish and maintain a safe, healthy learning environment

Functional Area 1: Candidate provides a safe environment to prevent and reduce injuries.

LESSON 1 SAFETY

August 23, 2010

Learning Objectives: Students will:

1. Identify safety as their #1 responsibility in child care
2. Explain the role of child development in keeping children safe
3. Explain the impact of adult/child ratio on safety
4. Explain that supervision is the #1 preventative safety measure in child care
5. Describe safety precautions for fire, poison, water, electricity
6. Describe special safety precautions for infants/toddlers
7. Complete indoor/outdoor safety checklist
8. List potential safety hazards for children outdoors
9. List 5 poisonous and 5 nonpoisonous plants
10. Describe appropriate safety precautions for hot, cold, water and poison outdoors
11. Describe child safety issues away from child care center and necessary precautions to ensure safety
12. Draft emergency procedures for various crises